

Unit 13 Outline

No Time for Heroes

This is a basic outline – it is meant to help remind you of the unit and the class discussions. Obviously I didn't leave enough room for all of the author information or story summaries, so write wherever needed to get all the information down.

- I. “Richard Cory” & “Miniver Cheevy”
 - a. Edwin Arlington Robinson
 - i.
 - ii.
 - iii.
 - b. “Richard Cory”
 - i. Theme of early 20th century American poetry = small-town life stereotypes are fake
 - ii. Summary =
 - iii. Theme =
 - c. “Miniver Cheevy”
 - i. The name Miniver =
 - ii. Summary =
 - iii. Child of scorn =
 - iv. Theme =
- II. “Soldier’s Home”
 - a. Ernest Hemingway
 - i.
 - ii.
 - iii.
 - b. The Story
 - i. Others beliefs about the war
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.
 - ii. Doesn’t fit in
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.
 - iii. Changed
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.
 - iv. Ending =
 - v. Theme =
 - vi. Iceberg theory =
- III. “The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock”
 - a. T. S. Eliot

- i.
 - ii.
 - iii.
 - b. The Story
 - i. Intro =
 - ii. Etherized =
 - iii. Girls = (3 kinds)
 - iv. Life is measured with “coffee spoons” (line 51)
 - v. Self-conscious
 - 1. Line 27 =
 - 2. Line 122 =
 - 3. Line 44 =
 - 4. Lines 97 & 110 =
 - 5. Lines 42 & 121 =
 - 6. Line 55 =
 - 7. Line 57 =
 - 8. Line 92 =
 - 9. Line 112 =
 - vi. Comparisons/Metaphors
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - vii. Ending =
 - c. Dramatic monologue =
- IV. “The Life You Save May Be Your Own”
- a. Flannery O’Connor
 - i.
 - ii.
 - iii.
 - b. The Story
 - i. Tom Shiftlet, con-artist =
 - ii. Mother =
 - iii. Daughter =
 - iv. Mrs. Crater suggests they get married =
 - v. Summary =
 - vi. Sees a sign that says, “Drive carefully. The life you save may be your own.” =
 - vii. Hitchhiker =
 - viii. Clouds at end =
 - c. Foreshadowing
 - i. Definition
 - ii. Examples (I had 10) =
 - 1.